## RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED **EXAMINING GROUP 3734** PATENT

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)
Otto E. ANDERHUB et al.	Group Art Unit: 3734
Application No.: 10/720,668	) Examiner: BACHMAN, Lindsey M
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## AMENDMENT AFTER APPEAL PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 41.33

This Amendment is being filed subsequent to a Notice of Appeal and Pre-Appeal Brief Reguest for Review filed September 29, 2010, and in response to a Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review mailed November 29, 2010. Accordingly, the period for response extends through December 29, 2010. Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper. Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.